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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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1252		2252		Extension for reply within second month	
1253		2253		Extension for reply within third month	
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1255		2255		Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401		2401		Notice of Appeal	
1402		2402		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403		2403		Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1460		2460		Petitions to the Commissioner	
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1809		1809		Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810		2810		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir or Ma'am:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of the paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims and begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.